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ONE DOLLAR A

LARGEST VOTE YET CAST IN CO-OPERATIVE CONTEST

Miss Gertrude Quinn Saturday Received 406,450
Votes, Placing Her First in Western Section.

The largest single vote ever polled in the contest was that of Miss Gertrude Quinn Saturday, when she reached the number of 406,450, which now makes her stand first in the Northern and Western section for the capital prize, the next highest vote being that of Miss Annie Kirkland of Alachua who received 154,400. Miss Hattie English also casts a vote of over 100,000 and is again in first position in the Southern section.

Miss Hattie Ludwig, whose picture appears in this issue, has been a



Miss Hattie Ludwig, Tioga.

steady worker and during the contest has managed to remain at the head of the list during most of the time, and now holds second place.

Only three more weeks remain for the candidates to win the capital prize, but the remaining number will receive certificates, and the first five in each section will receive a certificate for \$100 in trade with the A. R. Harper Company which can be used to purchase any instrument they handle at no advance in price. For instance, if a piano sells for \$400, you can buy it with the certificate and \$300, and so on.

Following is the result of the canvass:

Gainesville—Central Section.

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| Miss Estelle Beal | 2,329,075 |
| Miss Addie Goode | 2,303,505 |
| Miss Margaret Ledbetter | 1,151,445 |
| Miss Nora Stalls | 184,490 |
| Miss Bessie Carver | 107,840 |
| Miss Mary Fernandez | 58,140 |
| Miss Gertrude Harrod | 57,030 |

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| Miss Myra Swearingen | 49,390 |
| Miss Blanch Thompson | 36,990 |
| Miss Aura M. Lewis | 25,780 |
| Miss Alice Schafer | 19,365 |
| Miss Mabel Williams | 14,205 |
| Mrs. N. W. Taylor | 11,410 |
| Miss Eva Bauknight | 9,190 |
| Miss Annie Bell Taylor | 8,065 |
| Miss Grace Bullard | 6,175 |
| Miss Ella Bailey | 5,180 |
| Miss Curtis Pitts | 2,325 |
| Miss Fannie Whiting | 1,480 |

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| Miss Georgia Snowden, Hatchet Creek | 11,705 |
| Miss Mary Louise Atwater, Waldo | 7,235 |
| Miss Nellie Reeves, Micanopy | 4,800 |
| Miss Emma Entenza, Waldo | 3,340 |
| Miss Mamie Bailey, Waldo | 200 |

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| Miss Mary Louise Atwater, Waldo | 7,235 |
| Miss Nellie Reeves, Micanopy | 4,800 |
| Miss Emma Entenza, Waldo | 3,340 |
| Miss Mamie Bailey, Waldo | 200 |

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| Miss Hattie Ludwig, Tioga | 541,055 |
| Miss Lucinda Bryant, Bell | 527,160 |
| Miss Vida Barron, Bell | 506,290 |
| Miss Annie Kirkland, Alachua | 405,340 |
| Miss Eva Powell, Alachua | 369,890 |
| Mrs. H. Maddox, Archer | 271,950 |
| Miss Ellen Beville, Arredondo | 199,660 |
| Miss Ross Lee Rives, High Springs | 157,220 |
| Mrs. I. Ware, High Springs | 106,730 |
| Miss Jewel Standley, Hague | 70,695 |
| Miss Aileen Holly, Arredondo | 48,320 |
| Miss Annie Beville, Arredondo | 47,175 |
| Miss Emma Williams, Trenton | 34,275 |
| Mrs. R. B. Baker, Hawthorn | 13,400 |
| Mrs. J. E. Parker, LaCrosse | 11,315 |
| Miss Katie Akin, Arredondo | 8,060 |
| Miss Ada Pearce, Newberry | 7,050 |
| Miss Pearl McLeod, Alachua | 3,515 |
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Much Activity Shown in Savannah Cotton Market

SAVANNAH, Ga., July 24.—The market for Sea Islands was firm with a good demand, and good business was done, considering the late season and small offerings at an advance in prices. The better grades were alone affected, the lower grades being still neglected. Besides the local sales, it is said a large proportion of the light interior holdings were also sold, and unsold stocks have now become much depleted.

Crop accounts continue favorable in the main, but the continuous rains have resulted in complaints from several sections of damage from shedding, and also of running to weed and of light fruitage. These reports come mostly from Florida. Some sections

in Georgia would be benefited by a little rain, the precipitation having been unevenly distributed.

Sales for the week were 777 bales. The following prices were based on factors' quotations and are revised weekly on Fridays:

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| Fancy Floridas | 22 | @22½ |
| Fancy Georgias | 22 | @22½ |
| Extra choice Floridas | 20 | @21 |
| Extra choice Georgias | 20 | @21 |
| Choice Ga's. and Fla's. | 18 | @19 |
| Ex. fine Ga's. and Fla's. | 15 | @16 |
| Fine Ga's. and Fla's. | 13 | @14 |
| Com. Ga's. and Fla's. | 11 | @12 |

Let a want ad. negotiate a trade for you—of something you don't need for something you do.

A NOVEL RECEPTION.

Arrival of Bridal Couple at Archer Brought Hearty Welcome.

ARCHER, July 24.—Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Pearson returned this week from a very pleasant visit of a couple of months at St. Petersburg.

W. J. Groves of Morriston stopped over a few minutes at this place yesterday morning while enroute to Baltimore and Washington. He will be gone about two weeks.

Mrs. J. H. Butler of Hernando is very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. R. Leynes.

Mrs. W. L. Jackson returned home Thursday evening after a couple of weeks spent very pleasantly with her son, W. F. Winecoff, of Atlanta.

Mrs. W. H. Powell and children returned last evening from Micanopy, they having gone over there to be present at the marriage of Mrs. Powell's brother, Dr. A. D. Chamblin, and Miss Essie Smith.

T. B. Tower of Newberry passed through Wednesday in his Reo car. He was returning from his weekly visit to Floral City, and reports the roads in good condition in that direction now.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Miller are visiting relatives at Dalton, Ga. Mr. Miller is foreman of the foundry at the Maddox Foundry and Machine Co., and will be away about two more weeks.

Mrs. C. D. Wood, son, Howard, and daughter, Miss Lucy, are having a very pleasant vacation at Daytona Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Spivey returned this week after a couple of weeks spent pleasantly with relatives at Windsor.

Between two and three hundred people were at the depot yesterday afternoon to welcome Dr. A. D. Chamblin and bride home. The Maddox dray was used as the royal carriage, it having been decorated with red and white bunting. A top was put on the wagon and covered with this pretty bunting and suspended from the top was red and white paper bells, all sorts of old shoes, and everything else imaginable. Old cow bells were attached to all the axles. Mr. George Taylor's donkey was harnessed to the wagon. A big, fat darkey dressed in black trousers, a too-small white vest and a derby hat, drove same, with another darkey leading the donkey. A big cow bell was attached to the forelegs of the donkey so that every step gave a hideous noise. Mr. George Taylor and W. H. Stephens met the bridal pair at the station, the rest of the crowd being stationed very quietly behind the depot platform. They were escorted by this couple upon the platform, where they smilingly and willingly entered their carriage amid a shower of rice, old shoes, whistles blowing, tin pans beating and all sorts of unearthly yells. Then the procession, lead by Mr. Taylor, followed by the baseball team, the girls and ladies, the bridal wagon and brought up in the rear by all the onlookers, started on the way through town and out to their home. After arriving at the home the crowd parted and formed up in a line on both sides, which the bridal couple passed through amid smiling faces and all wishing them a long and happy life.

Last evening at 8 an informal reception was tendered them by several of their friends. Delicious ice cream and cake was served to all. They received many handsome presents.

Ocala Saloon Closed.

Mr. W. A. Kallenberger's saloon on North Main street closed its doors yesterday morning. Mr. Kallenberger has had quite a run of bad luck. He is now sick at Lake Weir, where his family is spending the summer. He kept a quiet, orderly place and gave everybody a square deal, but it has been evident for some months that his saloon was one too many for the city. He has made many friends here who hope he will soon be well and on the road to prosperity again.

Ocala Star, 22nd.

MANY PLANTATIONS ARE COMPLETELY DESTROYED

Destruction in Texas Felt 100 Miles inland
Gov. Hogg's Residence Mass of Wreckage

NEW ORLEANS, July 24.—Conspicuous among the reports of property damage wrought by the West Indian hurricane along the Gulf coast of Louisiana and Texas, are the stories of many famous old plantation homes having been destroyed, in some instances at points a hundred or more miles in the interior.

Foremost among these is the old home of the late Gov. Hogg of Texas, near Columbia, at the mouth of the Brazos river. The news of the destruction of the old mansion and the devastation of its broad acres serves as a reminder to many prominent Southerners of the happy days they have spent beneath the hospitable roof of Texas' popular chief executive. His once elegant home is but a mass of scattered wreckage, a condition which marks many more plantations in the same section.

In the light of the undisputable property destruction, among several millions of dollars, was not greater loss of regarded as inexplicable. Every hour brings report of new escapes. Persons who had been fishing parties or out day in exposed places took to the Government's warning Wednesday morning and reached places of comparative safety.

At the Baptist Young People's camp, on the Gulf Coast, several thousand people were at prayer meetings when wind struck them with such violence that in one instance it is reported that a carried parson, pulpit and into the midst of his flock.

The rain began to soak the pers and all sought refuge of shelter.

Two Chinese Maids Swear They Were Sold in Bondage

NEW YORK, July 24.—Two round-faced, swarthy, little Chinese maids, their almond eyes very, very wide, their straight bangs brushed flat across their foreheads, their black brands faced with scarlet silk, hanging precisely down the middle of their backs, stood demurely before Justice Wyatt in the children's court yesterday, and swore to a story which left little sympathy in those who heard it for the two elderly celestial merchants who reported their "children" missing to the police on last Wednesday night.

For both little girls swore that they had been held against their will as household slaves, harshly treated and forced to work long hours. They were accompanied by an agent of the Children's Society who had found them on the day following their disappearance from Chinatown at an East Side parish house. The two

officers of the Children's Society said the Government would look into what appears to be a case of actual slave traffic.

Chin Fing Toy said she was sold in China for \$160, brought to America and sold again for \$100.

"Some mornings," her master reads, "I had to get up at 7 o'clock and sometimes had to work right up to 2 o'clock in the morning.

"I would rather die than to be sold to Mott street." The other master, Moy Yum Toy.

Pending full investigation, to be held by the Children's Society.

Their story has aroused another rigid investigation in the town, which has hardly settled the chaos and probing.

Lowered the murder of Elsie S.

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HOUSTON, Tex., July 24.—The bodies of Capt. R. L. Bettison and his wife, scantly clad and girded with life preservers, were found yesterday by fisher boys at Morgan's Point. The bodies were lashed and clasped together in the tangled sea weed.

Capt. Bettison and his wife were among the ten who were swept off Tarpon pier, Galveston, by the hurricane on Wednesday.

Simultaneous with the report of the

Tilghman Cypress Mill Wrecked by Explosions

CEDAR KEY, July 24.—At the Tilghman Cypress Company's mill, located near Cedar Key, there was a disastrous explosion Thursday. One of the boilers blew up, doing great damage to the mill and wounding several hands. Fortunately no one was killed. The engineer was severely injured, struck on the head, but is recovering. Several others were injured, but not seriously. It will take two or three months to repair the damage. Dr. Warren, a physician, was in Philadelphia at the time of the explosion.

WILL OWEN MEET DEATH ON THE SCAFFOLD TODAY?

Unless Speedy Steps Are Taken, Murderer of R. L. Smith Will Likely be Executed.

From Friday's Daily Sun:

R. H. Owen, now confined in the Alachua county jail, will hang today between the hours of 11 and 2 o'clock for the murder of R. L. Smith at Jonesville last January, unless some unforeseen action is taken by Governor Gilchrist to prevent the execution.

Sheriff Ramsey was seen yesterday by the reporter, and states that acting under instructions from the Governor, and having the second death warrant in his hands, he will proceed with the hanging today and will have everything in readiness for the execution at about the noon hour.

There will be only a small crowd present to witness the execution, as under the law the sheriff is allowed to admit only a certain number, which includes ministers, physicians, newspaper men, and officers of the law. W. E. Baker and W. S. Broome, acting as attorneys for Owen,

it was done largely while visitors were around the jail.

The reporter of this paper has tried in various ways to be kind to the unfortunate man, but he is among the most hated of all who have visited him, and comes in for his share of the abuse along with Jailer Torlak and Sheriff Ramsey, both of whom have done more than their share in making him comfortable.

The picture herewith reproduced is a copy made from a photograph recently taken by Jas. F. Smith at the request of the doomed man's wife, who has remained faithful to him to the last, and is an exact reproduction of the man, showing his high forehead and his present thin appearance, due to long confinement. His diary, which is a book of more than fifty closely-written letter pages, deals with the case from his coming to Alachua county up to the time and conclusion of the trial, and this, he



R. H. OWEN, WIFE AND LITTLE SON.

Photo by Jas. F. Smith.

state that the execution will not take place, for at noon yesterday they filed a precipice for a writ of error before County Clerk Wienges, but that official was seen shortly afterwards and stated that he would not issue the same until he had satisfied himself fully as to the law regarding the matter.

Following is a copy of a letter received from the secretary of the Board of Pardons, which body refused to take any action whatever on the Owen case at their meeting on Wednesday afternoon:

Tallahassee, Fla., July 21, 1909.
Sheriff P. G. Ramsey,
Gainesville, Fla.

Dear Sir—At a meeting held this morning to consider the application of R. H. Owen for commutation of sentence from death penalty to life imprisonment, the State Board of Pardons has declined to interfere in the matter, or to grant said petition.

Very truly yours,

G. T. WHITFIELD,
Secy. Board of Pardons."

Owen was seen at the jail again yesterday by the reporter and reiterated his statements that he would be unable to go upon the scaffold, and furthermore, that if they hung him, the officers would have to hold him up to perform the act, as he was sick and unable to stand upon the gallows, or get about in any manner. He was still under the impression, however, that the execution would not take place.

Dr. McKinstry writes as follows: "As physician in attendance upon the Owen is apparently far from being a Christian, and while he has studied his Bible a great deal during his confinement, it has been noticeable that

period of his confinement to the jail. Then, by direction of Sheriff Ramsey, I gave Owen a thorough examination with the view of determining his precise mental and physical condition for the guidance of the sheriff and the jailor. I therefore feel that I am in position to give you reliable and disinterested information. Owen is perfectly sane, within the meaning of the law. He is of a low order of mentality and is a type of that class of "defectives" who furnish such a large percentage of our criminal classes. I might go on at length and into detail about these "defectives" or "degenerates," but I suppose you are only interested in determining the sanity or insanity of this man. He is not insane."

Letters have been written from Alachua county in relation to this case on two lines: one is that the said Owen has not received a fair trial, on the ground that having secured no attorney himself, the court followed the legal method of appointing an attorney for him. Such has been the action of the courts of this State for a great many years. Many lawyers have been to the Legislature and none have ever yet even tried to change the law. If they have, I have no knowledge of the same. However, under our laws, such action is legal. It is impossible for the Governor to set aside the well-established laws of the country.

"On the ground of insanity, I have received requests and petitions to commute his sentence to life imprisonment. If Mr. Owen is insane, he should be put in an asylum for the criminal insane, such as they have at Matteawan, N. Y. This State has never yet provided a place for the criminal insane. It has provided means for the commitment to the hospital for insane people. There is a method prescribed by law for people who have been sent to such hospital to be restored to their freedom. It appears that the said Owen belongs to that class of "defectives" or "degenerates," known as "degenerate" from which our criminals are almost wholly drawn. If such "degenerates" are to be sent to the Hospital for the Insane, it thus appears that most of our criminals should be sent there. Then, if the authorities in charge of the hospital should declare them to be sane, the only thing to do is to turn them loose upon society, or probably send them to jail. From the laws, he said Owen is either insane or he is not. If he is insane it is quite apparent that he should not be sent to the penitentiary for life. If he is sent to the Hospital for the Insane, is insane, and is declared to be sane, it is quite apparent that he should be turned out. This information is sent to you for your consideration.

Your attention is invited to the following quotation from a communication received:

"I understand that he killed two men the same day, but was tried for only one offense. The other indictment against him for murder in the first degree is still pending. People in the vicinity where Owen killed the men, are very indignant over the effort to get him to the asylum. I believe that if he is not hanged, he will be lynched or killed if the opportunity is offered."

Your attention is also invited to the following quotation from a communication received:

"I am satisfied that this man has received no more than he deserves, except the stay of two weeks, and until there is some hanging done, I feel satisfied that the killing will not stop."

Also the following:

"The people here seem of the opinion that it would be right, just and proper that the law should take its course."

I have the honor to be,

Very respectfully,

ALBERT W. GILCHRIST,

"Governor."

Clerk of the Court Wienges issued the writ of error as applied for by the attorneys in the case late in the afternoon and so wired Governor Gilchrist, and some message is expected from that official today. There is some difference of opinion in reference to the matter, some contending that Owen will hang unless the Governor interferes, while others state that the mere filing of the writ will stop the execution.

(SEE FIRST COLUMN, NEXT PAGE.)

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets gently stimulate the Liver and bowels to expel poisonous matter, cleanse the system, cure constipation and sick headache. Sold by all druggists.

Women Suffer

much needless pain when they delay using Cardui for their female troubles. Cardui has been found to relieve headache, backache, pain in the side and dizziness arising from deranged organs. It does more than relieve—if used persistently,—many have written to say that it cured them.

TAKE CARDUI
It Will Help You

Mrs. Maxwell Johnson, Tampa, Fla., writes: "Cardui cured me after doctors and everything else had failed. I had been suffering with numb spells ever since I was 16 years old. One day I decided to take Cardui. I have now taken 5 bottles and I can say that it has cured me. I advise all suffering women to give Cardui a long and fair trial."

Mrs. Johnson suffered years. Have you? Do you wish to? But why suffer at all? Take Cardui. Give it a fair trial.

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JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA

ATTORNEYS STOP THE EXECUTION OF OWEN

WRIT OF ERROR ACCOMPLISHED
THE DESIRED END FRIDAY.

Prisoner Was Confident That He Would Not Hang and So Stated to Fellow Prisoners.

From Saturday's Daily Sun:

R. H. Owen, twice sentenced to death for the killing of R. L. Smith near Jonesville last winter, has again been granted a stay of execution by the prompt action of his attorneys, Cols. W. S. Broome and W. E. Baker, who sued out the writ of error, which stopped the proceedings.

The writ is made returnable on October 10th, and if the man is finally hung, it will occur about the latter part of November or the first part of December, which will be as early as the matter can be arranged as it now stands.

This will give the prisoner ample time to prepare himself for his future, if he is to hang, but a strong effort will still be made to have his sentence changed to life imprisonment.

The following message was received by Sheriff Ramsey from Governor Gilchrist yesterday morning after the sheriff had arranged the trap rope for the execution right in sight of the prisoner:

"P. G. Ramsey, Sheriff—Writ of error having been issued, you will not execute death warrant upon R. H. Owen, but return warrant to me. Wire acknowledgement upon receipt of this. ALBERT W. GILCHRIST, Governor."

Owen stood by the bars within a few feet of where the trap was being arranged and the rope made ready for his execution, and while the sheriff was engaged in his work he repeatedly stated that the officer was going to all of that trouble for nothing, as he would never hang.

Wife No. 2 was here yesterday from Ocala, having come up with two of Owen's sons, and was accompanied by three young ladies, whose names we did not learn, to witness the execution. She stated that so far as she knew Owen had been married only three times instead of four, as was stated in yesterday's paper.

Had this execution occurred here yesterday it would have been the first legal white hanging ever witnessed in this city and the second one that has ever been known to have occurred in the county. Some of the oldest residents state that one white hanging took place at Newmansville some seventy years ago, but there is no record of it in the court house now.

Col. Rivers was seen in the afternoon and stated that the writ only amounted to a stay of execution for Owen until a later date. He said that the court had made a special order in the case, allowing sixty days in which to file the bill of exceptions. The time that had elapsed was nearly double that, and consequently there was no exceptions to anything that was done in the trial, and that the minutes would be taken before the Supreme Court, but the only results would be the stay of execution until this court had looked over the case.

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The symptoms of kidney trouble are so unmistakable that they leave no ground for doubt. Sick kidneys excrete a thick, cloudy, offensive urine, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding. The back aches constantly, headaches and dizzy spells may occur and the victim is often weighed down by a feeling of languor and fatigue. Neglect these warnings and there is danger of dropsy, Bright's Disease, or diabetes. Any one of these symptoms is warning enough to begin treating the kidneys at once. Delay often proves fatal.

You can use no better remedy than Doan's Kidney Pills. Here's Gainesville proof:

Mrs. James Doig, 902 Alachua avenue, Gainesville, Fla., says: "It is now some time since I used Doan's Kidney Pills and I am glad to say that I have had no need of a kidney remedy. Several years ago Doan's Kidney Pills drove away a severe attack of kidney trouble and time has proven the cure to be a permanent one. I take pleasure in recommending Doan's Kidney Pills to other kidney sufferers."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

EXPRESSES APPRECIATION.

Reader of The Sun at Waldo Likes Correspondence Feature.

Editor Sun: Allow me to express my appreciation of the local correspondence feature of your valuable paper. I believe it to be one of the most desirable departments to the general reader.

Often "notes" from a locality where one has relatives or friends is like a letter from home. And now that your circulation has so much increased correspondents from other points might tell us of persons and incidents which would add to the interchange of information and be a mutual profit and pleasure.

Short reports of occurrences if made only on a postal card I know would be acceptable to the paper though not in the best handwriting nor in the most correct language, as facts are what are wanted, and one's article is shaped up, if need be, by the office man.

I write this having had several years' experience in newspaper work. Let us hear from correspondents, old and new, and from those on summer trips away from home.

D. L. BRANNING.
Waldo, Fla., July 22, 1909.

Help for Those Who Have Stomach Trouble.

After doctoring for about twelve years for a bad stomach trouble, and spending nearly five hundred dollars for medicine and doctors' fees, I purchased my wife one box of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, which did her so much good that she continued to use them and they have done her more good than all of the medicine I bought before.—Samuel Boyer, Folsom, Iowa. This medicine is for sale by all druggists. Samples free.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that four weeks after the first publication hereof I, the undersigned, as Guardian of James Rhodes and Archie Rhodes, minors, will apply to the County Judge of Alachua county, Florida, for an order to sell all the right, title and interest of the said minors in and to the following real estate, to wit:

Block 1 of Ingram's Addition to the City of Gainesville, Florida.

This July 15th, 1909.
CHARLES M. RHODES,
Guardian.

Many people with chronic throat and lung trouble have found comfort and relief in Foley's Honey and Tar, as it cures stubborn coughs after other treatment has failed. L. M. Ruggles, Reasnor, Iowa, writes: "The doctors said I had consumption, and I got no better until I took Foley's Honey and Tar. It stopped the hemorrhages and pain in my lungs and they are now as sound as a bullet." J. W. McCollum & Co.

If it's printed stationery you want The Sun office is the place to get it.

A MAD DOG CREATES SOME EXCITEMENT

KILLED BEFORE HE DID ANY DAMAGE TO SPEAK OF.

Citizens of Newberry Joined in Chase for Dogship and Killed All Canines That Were Bitten.

The citizens of Newberry were excited over the mad-dog situation on Thursday and as a result some dozen or more dogs were killed in that place.

Fortunately the dog that was mad did not bite anyone, but made good his time in snapping at other canines during the short time he was allowed to live, and stranger still he would run around people to bite dogs, like wise cattle.

As soon as the dog was known to be mad a number of the citizens armed themselves and proceeded to run it down and kill it, as well as the dogs that it bit, so there will be no spread from the animal having bitten others.

There have been a number of mad-dogs reported in various sections of the county, but in nearly every instance they have been killed and no uneasiness is felt by the people generally.

When the stomach fails to perform its functions, the bowels become deranged, the liver and the kidney congested causing numerous diseases. The stomach and liver must be restored to a healthy condition and Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets can be depended upon to do it. Easy to take and most effective. Sold by all druggists.

Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the firm heretofore doing business at Grove Park, Florida, as Phifer & Waits has been dissolved by mutual consent.

PHIFER & WAITS.

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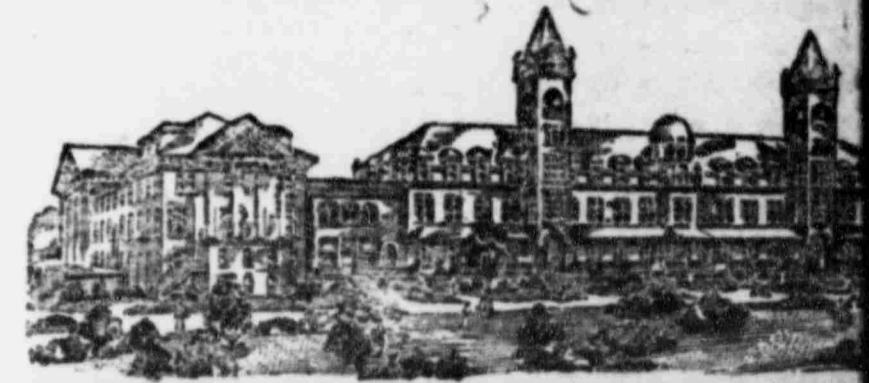
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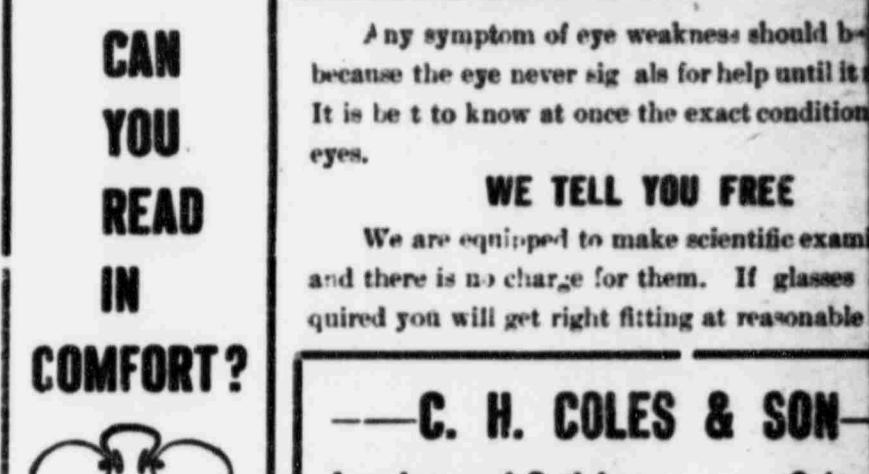
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| | Exports | Imports | Excess |
|---------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|
| 1908 | \$1,860,000,000 | \$1,194,000,000 | \$666,000,000 |
| 1907 | 1,880,000,000 | 1,434,000,000 | 446,000,000 |
| 1906 | 1,744,000,000 | 1,236,000,000 | 517,000,000 |
| 1905 | 1,518,000,000 | 1,117,000,000 | 401,000,000 |
| 1904 | 1,460,000,000 | 991,000,000 | 469,000,000 |
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NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscribers to The Sun who are in arrears are urgently requested to make settlement without further delay.

Under the postal regulations we are prohibited from extending credit to subscribers for more than one year, and those who have not paid up to August, 1908, will be dropped from the list of subscribers during the next two weeks. The privilege of mailing the paper to subscribers who are in arrears for over a year is denied by the postal laws, and we have been notified to comply with this provision at once. If you fail to receive The Sun after the middle of July you will therefore know the reason therefor.

Do not wait to come to town to pay your subscription, but send the amount by mail at once. DO IT NOW.

Were John D. other than a reckless spendthrift who takes no heed of the morrow, his cynical compatriots might become suspicious that in transferring millions to his son and Chicago University, he was in part inspired by the knowledge that the inheritance tax on his estate will be that much reduced.

When people zealous for the common good seek to do away with moral and business evils they are bound to endure the hostility of those who flourish on these evils. They cry out that business interests will suffer if the reform aimed at is realized, and many business men, accepting that statement without investigation, also condemn reform, believing that it is better to let such evils exist rather than disturb business. True, the interests that fatten on these evils would suffer and, temporarily, while readjustment is taking place, some other interests might also suffer for a time. But it is not true that business as a whole or that a community suffers by the overthrow or lessening of evil. Rather do they gain steadily, for in the long run evil of any description checks the true prosperity of any community, and of every legitimate business.

Mr. Hearst, the originator and "angel" for the Independence party, and Mr. Hisgen, its first candidate for President of the United States, have both declared that party to be dead, or at least permanently out of commission. At Evansville, Ind., the other day Mr. Hisgen reiterated his declaration that he had severed his connection with the Independent movement and would hereafter act with the Democrats. Meanwhile there is no lack of opposition to the two old political organizations. There, for instance, are Col. Sid Tapp's Liberty, (is it Liberty?) and Col. Jack Smith's Doo-Dang party, both of which are in as good shape as they ever were in their existence. For our part, says The Savannah News, we sympathize with the Doo-Dangs in preference to the other, because the financial plank of their platform demands that all due-bills shall be paid in full and

DIMINISHING TRADE BALANCE.

(Wall Street Journal.)

Our apparent balance of trade in foreign commerce is down to the lowest point in twelve years. The end of the fiscal year, on June 30, 1909, showed an excess of exports over imports of only \$351,000,000, compared with the average of \$500,000,000 for the five fiscal years preceding. Not since 1897 has the country been reduced to so small an apparent margin in its international trade account. A volume of exports amounting to \$1,663,000,000, and of imports of \$1,312,000,000, leaves the low excess with which the country enters upon its fiscal year.

For the five preceding years ended with June 30, 1904, the records stand as follows, in millions of dollars, showing exports and imports, with the excess yearly, and the averages. These are compared with the recently published figures for 1909, and together make the complete exhibit for six fiscal years:

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|---------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|
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Compared with earlier years, the country is doing its foreign trade on a much smaller apparent balance, or surplus, than has been customary.

Over against this balance has to be charged a variety of accounts which have tended to increase, rather than decrease, since the fall of 1907. The Postoffice Department reports that international money orders drawn against the United States, during the latest fiscal year, were \$66,000,000 greater than foreign money orders in favor of the United States. No doubt, also a vast amount of the savings of earlier years of European immigrants to the United States were carried or sent out of the country during the fiscal year just closed.

If Europe has been liquidating securities bought at lower levels, and sold during the past six months of advancing prices, that forms another account of considerable proportions to be charged against our apparent balance. Likewise the tourist travel and foreign resident remittances have no doubt maintained their proportion to an extent that would help to bring to a quite narrow margin the reduced surplus.

Add further the borrowings of American banking interests, and there could not be very many millions left in favor of our national account.

Meanwhile the gold movement has shown clearly that the United States is paying the debts of Europe in South American countries by the exporting of gold. Crop movements are no doubt expected to put a check later to this draft on our supply of gold.

But two things will operate to suspend that check, for the time being, at least: Wheat stocks are exceedingly low at home, so that domestic needs will absorb by far the greater part of the first thirty or sixty days' sales. Secondly, the season is later than usual, and that will prolong still more certainly the movement of grain in volume to foreign countries. What applies to grain is true of cotton. Finally, the high level of prices at home may check exports, and result in a slow outgo of surplus staples into foreign trade.

The immediate future is not promising for a better trade balance. The problem is one which financial authorities, for reasons of their own, may well consider in its existing and prospective form.

A New York woman ordered a set of Charles Dickens' works at the price of \$85,000. When the books were delivered she declined to pay the price for them, on the ground that they were not what it was represented they would be. The matter is now in the courts. In connection with this tremendous and extravagant price for a set of books, there is pathos in reverting to the fact that two of Dickens' grand-daughters are living in London in poverty, their whole support being pensions of \$2,50 a week each from the government. They have no property rights in their grandfather's works, so the publishers can handle them as they please and make enormous profits on them, while the children of the flesh and blood of their author are compelled to subsist on crusts.—Savannah News.

An increase of \$92,627 in the 1909 surplus of the American Glue Company proves that prosperity is still sticking to the job.

ROOSEVELT'S LATEST.

Expressing the opinion that the multi-millionaire is not a healthy development in this country, but at the same time giving him full credit for his energy and ability in amassing his fortune, provided he has been of benefit to his country and countrymen while he was piling up his money, former President Roosevelt has gone on record as favoring the adoption of a progressive inheritance tax, as a partial solution to the problem of concentrated wealth in this country.

In a copyrighted editorial in the current issue of The Outlook, the former President says:

"Worst of all is to have great poverty, and great riches side by side in constant contrast. Nevertheless, even this contrast can be accepted if men are convinced that the riches are accumulated as a result of great service rendered to the people as a whole, and if their use is regulated in the interest of the whole community.

"The movement which has become so strong during the past few years to secure on behalf of the nation both an adequate supervision of and an effective taxation of vast fortunes, so far as their business use is concerned, is a healthy movement. It aims to replace sullen discontent, restless pessimism, and evil preparation for revolution, by an aggressive, healthy determination to get at the bottom of our troubles and remedy them.

"To halt in the movement, as those blinded men wish, who care only for the immediate relief from all obstacles which would thwart their getting what is not theirs, would work wide-reaching damage. Such a halt would turn away the energies of the energetic and forceful men, who desire to reform matters, from a legitimate object into the channel of bitter and destructive agitation.

"The reader of Prince Kropotkin's memoirs must be struck by the damage wrought to Russia by the unwise opponents of all reform who, by opposing every sensible movement for betterment, turned the energies of the young men, who under happier conditions would have worked for rational betterment, into the channels of a useless and destructive revolutionary movement.

"The multi-millionaire is not necessarily a healthy development in this country. If his fortune rests on a basis of wrong-doing, he is far more dangerous criminal than any of the types of ordinary criminals can be. If his fortune is the result of a great service rendered, well and good; he deserves respect and reward for such service—although we must remember to pay our homage to the service itself and not to the fortune which is the mere reward for the service.

"But when his fortune is passed on to some one else, who has not rendered the service, then the nation should impose a heavily graded progressive inheritance tax, a singularly wise and unobjectionable kind of tax. It would be a particularly good thing if the tax bore heaviest on absentees."

CAPT. ALVAREZ WINS PIANO.

Lead High School in Burkham's Contest by 405 Votes Last Night.

From Sunday's Daily Sun:

The private piano contest of L. J. Burkham, the east side clothier and gents' furnisher, closed last night. Capt. Alvarez, the popular conductor on the "short" between Gainesville and Waldo, winning the handsome instrument by 405 votes over the High School.

Capt. Alvarez and his friends have been putting in some good work during the past few days, and it seems that he was just a little more energetic than the supporters of the local institution.

During the last week of the contest Capt. Alvarez polled 67,330 votes, while the High School polled 66,285, making the final count stand: Alvarez, 519,430; High School, 519,025.

Notice.

Take notice that I will, on the first Thursday of September, A. D. 1909, or as soon thereafter as I may be heard apply for a pardon for John L. Easterlin, who was convicted of murder at the fall term of the Circuit Court for Alachua county, Florida, in 1902. Anyone desiring may then be heard on the merits of the application.

WILLIAM C. HODGES,
Attorney for Petitioner.

Read the want ads. in today's Sun

GEORGIA LEGISLATURE MAY KILL OUT NEAR-BEER

House Temperance Committee Unanimously Votes to Report Favorably Upon Such a Bill.

ATLANTA, July 23.—The House

Temperance Committee yesterday afternoon unanimously voted to report favorably a bill by Mr. Alexander of DeKalb, outlawing near-beer and making it illegal to sell as a beverage in this State any article which contained any alcohol whatsoever.

A strong fight was made in the committee. Dr. John E. White, pastor of the Second Baptist church of Atlanta, appeared and reminded the members that Governor Brown had promised the people of the State that he would veto any change in the prohibition law of 1907. He declared this promise was made to all the people and he did not feel that he could morally afford to urge the Governor to approve an act the prohibitionists wanted and still hold him to his promise in case the anti-prohibitionists countered by proposing a measure lessening the force of the prohibition law.

In reply to the earnest speech of Mr. White, Mr. Alexander said:

"Yes, Doctor, but you will recall that King Herod promised the head of John the Baptist in response to the demand of a harlot, and he committed a blacker crime when he kept the pledge than when he made it."

Both Mr. Wright of Floyd and Mr. Alexander of DeKalb denounced recent decisions of the Court of Appeals in liquor cases as being a perversion of the plain intent of the law, and said further legislation was needed to correct the influence of these decisions.

Mr. Anderson of Chatham made a strong appeal for the present law to be retained and cautioned the members against rushing forward too fast and in advance of the crystallizing of public sentiment.

After a session lasting several hours the committee finally unanimously voted to report the measure.

Bradford Sheriff on Trail of Escaped Murderer

Lottie Spells, a colored woman who

tion tallied so well with the one given by the Pasco county authorities that he became confident the woman knew the man. Mr. Langford promised that he would pay the woman's fine if she could find Wilson for him.

Newberry being the place to look for him, Mr. Langford, accompanied by Lottie, left for that place last Friday morning. They spent Friday and the greater part of Saturday there, going from one phosphate mine to another, inspecting the hands, but Wilson was not there. On inquiry among the mine superintendents Mr. Langford found two who said that a man answering that description had been there two days before. He thinks it probable that the negro will return there soon and has made arrangements to have him captured if he comes.

Gypsey Mothers Use Children as Shields in Battle

NEW YORK, July 23.—A pitched battle was fought in Brooklyn yesterday between immigration inspectors

and a band of twenty-four Gypsies who were being deported to South America. The trouble had its origin in the refusal of the Gypsies to board the steamer Verdi, which was to take them to Buenos Ayres.

In the heat of the melee several children of the band were injured when their parents used them as shields. In several instances the parents pushed the bodies of children against the inspectors who were trying to drive them from a tug to the

steamer. One little girl was unconscious when the vessel sailed with the Gypsies.

The Gypsies believed they were to be returned to Russia, their home, and when they realized that they must go back to South America, which country they had just left, their rage knew no bounds.

The women fought with more fury than the men. One ragged dame used an iron camp kettle whenever she got within reach of a hostile head. When the Verdi sailed her unwilling passengers were huddled astern nursing their wounds.

DEWITT HAGUE SUS-

TAINS BROKEN LEG

From Saturday's Daily Sun:

DeWitt Hague, the son of Deputy Sheriff W. C. Hague of Alachua, was thrown from a buggy near Fort White on last Wednesday and his left leg broken just above the ankle.

The young man was in company with his sisters and brother-in-law on a visit to relatives at Fort White and had started on his return home when the accident happened that will cause him much pain and misery for the next several weeks.

Although there were five in the vehicle at the time of the runaway, he was the only one that sustained injury and only he and one sister were thrown from the buggy, the other three remaining in the same until they had stopped the pair of mules.

The Culpeppers are now conducting a series of meetings at Starke which give promise of proving as successful as the meeting held there by the elder divine eighteen years ago, when many converts were added to the church.

PROSPERITY SALE!

BURKHIM'S Great Prosperity Sale

WEDNESDAY, JULY 28, 1909

WHY, WHY, WHY, Is It Called a "PROSPERITY SALE?"

1st—It brings to a close the most prosperous spring season I have ever had. 2d—We wish to share our prosperity with you by offering the greatest bargains ever shown in this city. 3d—My store is to be remodeled, new fixtures of the most modern make, and many improvements added for the convenience of my growing trade, so I shall need room for the carpenters to work worse than I need the goods. If fashionable, stylish and durable Clothing, the latest in Underwear, Ties, Belts, Hosiery, Etc., in other words, First-Class Merchandise at cheap prices is what the public wants, then be assured that on Wednesday, July 28, '09, you can join the ever-increasing throng of **Burkhim's Satisfied Customers**. Seeing is believing, and the most skeptical or doubtful can be convinced that on July 28th I shall fulfil, in every sense of the word, my promises to offer the public its first Prosperity Sale, a sale unique in the history of the mercantile business, because you as well as I shall co-operate together and share our prosperity one with another.

Terms Spot Cash. No Goods Sent on Approval. No Alterations. Bargains! Money-Savers!

CLOTHING 60 CENTS ON THE DOLLAR

By attending my Big Prosperity Sale on July 28th, 60 cents will buy a dollar's worth of Clothing. Nothing reserved. I am offering the latest and most fashionable Suits at unheard-of prices—Strouse Bros., the High-Art manufacturers of Baltimore; Grief Bros., the exclusive makers of the guaranteed unbreakable front Suits; Cohen-Endel, the largest and best-known producers of Men's and Children's Clothing. I am offering the best-known and most highly advertised line of Children's, Youths' and Men's Clothing at prices which will prove a money-saver for you.

| SUITS. | |
|------------------|-------|
| \$12 Suits at | 7.20 |
| \$15 Suits at | 9.00 |
| \$18 Suits at | 10.80 |
| \$20 Suits at | 12.00 |
| \$25 Suits at | 15.00 |
| \$28.50 Suits at | 17.15 |

| TROUSERS. | |
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| I am exclusive agent for Scheneman, the "Pants King," which name signifies par excellence in fashionable patterns in Serges, Cheviots, Worsteds and Panamas. I also handle the famous "Dutchess Pants," for which the manufacturers give 10c for a button or \$1 for a rip in any of their goods. These goods in the latest styles and patterns. 40 per cent discount. Take your choice of a large and varied assortment at 60 cents on the dollar. | |
| \$3 Trousers for | 1.80 |
| \$4 Trousers for | 2.40 |
| \$5 Trousers for | 3.00 |
| \$6 Trousers for | 3.60 |
| \$7 Trousers for | 4.20 |
| \$8 Trousers for | 4.80 |

| SHIRTS. | |
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| One lot of odds and ends, worth \$1.25, this prosperity sale at | 59 |
| One lot of colored stiff bosom Shirts, worth \$1.00 to \$1.50 | 39 |
| All of our 50c Shirts this sale | 38 |
| 60 to 75c Shirts | 41 |
| All of our latest spring Negligee Shirts, \$1.25 kind at \$1.50 to \$1.75 Shirts | 37 |

CHILDREN'S AND YOUTH'S CLOTHING.

Of the best make and material, and latest patterns in Knickerbocker, Straight Pants and Russian Blouse. My prices speak for themselves:

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| \$9 and \$9.50 Suits at | 5.99 |
| \$8 and \$8.50 Suits at | 5.15 |
| \$7 and \$7.50 Suits at | 4.99 |
| \$6 and \$6.50 Suits at | 3.85 |
| \$5 and \$5.50 Suits at | 3.57 |
| \$4 and \$4.50 Suits at | 2.99 |
| \$3.75 and \$4.00 Suits at | 2.59 |
| \$3.00 and \$3.50 Suits at | 2.39 |
| \$2.00 and \$2.50 Suits at | 1.48 |

UNDERSHIRTS.

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| 50c Balbriggan Shirts | 35 |
| 60 to 75c Balbriggan Shirt and Drawers | 38 |
| \$1.00 to \$1.25 white Lisle Shirt and Drawers | 89 |

DRAWERS.

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| All our Elastic Seam, 50c kind, at | 39 |
| Scriven's as long as last | 64 |

GOTHAM ATHLETIC SHIRTS AND DRAWERS.

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| \$1.00 values | 82 |
| \$1.25 values | 88 |
| \$2.00 values | 129 |
| B. V. D. Underwear | 37 |
| One lot of Athletic Underwear | 22 |
| Few dozen of Nainsook Shirts and Drawers, 50c | 36 |

HATS.

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| Howard Hats, all kinds at | 2.39 |
| Panama Hats, \$6.00 kind | 3.59 |
| Panama Hats, \$7.50 kind | 4.65 |

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| Panama up to \$10.00 | 5.85 |
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| One lot of \$1.50 black and brown Planter's Hats | 95 |
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| One lot of 75c black Planter's Hats | 52 |
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| Trunks must be sold. Call and see prices, also Grips and Suit Cases. Everything marked in plain prices. | |
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TIES.

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| 25 to 35c Ties at | 18 |
| 50c Ties at | 37 |
| 75c to \$1.00 Ties at | 49 |

HOSIERY.

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| All Gents' and Ladies' Hosiery, 25 to 35c kind, at | 18 |
| All Gents' and Ladies' Hosiery, 50c kind, at | 37 |
| 60 to 75c kind | 43 |
| Have few Ladies' Silk Hosiery, \$1.25 kind, at | 83 |

SHOES.

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|---|------|
| Have only a few pairs left. | |
| Hanan Shoes, tans | 3.79 |
| Patent Leather | 4.49 |
| Crawford Shoes \$4.00, this sale | 3.15 |
| Youth's Patent Leather, \$3.50 kind | 2.59 |
| Lot of odd Coats at any price. One table of odds and ends in Suits, worth up to \$10.00 | 3.89 |
| One lot of Suits up to \$15.00 | 5.29 |

This is a Sale to the Finish. Everything Must be Sold in 24 Days. Carpenters Must Have Charge of Store Aug. 23rd. No Goods Charged. No Alterations at My Expense. So Everybody "GET THE HABIT" and Attend the Great Prosperity and Remodeling Sale.

L. J. BURKHIM, Gainesville, Fla.

SEAWALL AT GALVESTON WITHSTOOD TIDAL WAVE

Hurricane Was Equal to the One That Destroyed City
in 1900---Communication Restored.

GALVESTON, Tex., July 22.—Ten dead is the total number of lives lost so far as is known, in the hurricane which swept over the Gulf of Mexico and struck Galveston Wednesday morning, and continued until after mid-day. While the city of Galveston was held safe against the fury of the storm by the new \$2,000,000 sea wall, far out in the Gulf, on Tarpon fishing pier, seven miles from the city, where the storm whipped over the jetty into the bay, ten persons were washed from the rocky promontories into the Gulf. Boats are searching the bay for the bodies.

Those drowned were members of a fishing party and employees of the Tarpon pier, marooned on the jetty. Boats were sent to their assistance late yesterday and it was learned that the house in which they had sought refuge had been washed away.

While it is impossible to get an accurate list of the dead owing to the fact that the register has always been kept at the pier, the best information obtainable is as follows:

Capt. Bettison and wife.

Edward Lewis.

C. H. Daily, circulation manager Galveston Tribune, formerly of Chicago, and four negroes.

The others are unknown.

Mr. Daily was a guest at the pier and it is also stated that a young man named Peatsorn of Houston, son of a book dealer, was also among the guests. This report could not be confirmed, however.

Friends in Galveston set forth a faint hope that it might have been possible that all, or a part of the party on the pier, might have secured wreckage from the pier and floated to the Bolivar shore.

In view of this report the launch Clifton, owned by Capt. Bettison, made the trip to Bolivar yesterday, returning shortly after 7 o'clock, the captain, however, reporting that no trace of the party had been found.

The City Safe.

The city of Galveston sends greetings to her sister cities, the people of the United States and of the world, in that, at this hour, it has just passed through a most formidable storm, manifesting in its course some of the most violent incidents of cyclonic disturbances, and its great seawall has completely vindicated its efficiency and protected the city against dangers from the sea, leaving such insignificant damages as are incident to all storms.

"The city, its great business interests and its people have safely passed through a most severe hurricane, the seawall proved a complete success, the city's great wharves and shipping interests suffered no damage and not a life was lost.

(Signed) **LEWIS FISHER,**
"Mayor."

E. O. FLOOD,
"President Chamber Commerce."
"B. ADOUE."

"President Maritime Association. Communication with outside points was resumed at 9 o'clock last night.

Man's strength and skill were pitted against the fury of the elements and man won, when the city of Galveston, safely entrenched behind her impregnable seventeen-foot seawall withstood, with comparatively trifling loss, a tidal wave and hurricane equal in intensity and destructive force to the one which destroyed the city on September 8, 1900.

In Galveston and vicinity not a single life is believed to have been sacrificed but the material loss is thought to be quite extensive. The

S.S.S. NATURE'S TONIC

The very great majority of persons need a tonic in the Spring or early Summer. The system undergoes a change at this season and the entire physical machinery is disturbed. The general bodily weakness, a tired, worn-out feeling, fickle appetite, poor digestion, a half sick feeling and a general run-down condition of the system, show that the blood is weak or anaemic, and a blood purifying tonic is needed to build up the deranged system and enrich the blood. The use of S.S.S. at this time may save you from a long spell of sickness, and it will certainly prepare you for the long, hot Summer. Many people have put off using a tonic until the system became so weakened and depleted it could not successfully throw off disease germs, and have paid for the neglect with a spell of fever, malaria or some other debilitating sickness. S.S.S. is Nature's ideal tonic. It is a composition of the extracts and juices of roots, herbs and barks which science and experience have proven are best fitted for a tonic to the human system. It contains no minerals of any kind and is therefore perfectly safe for persons of any age. S.S.S. tones up the stomach and digestion, rids the system of that tired, worn-out feeling, and imparts vigor and strength to every part of the body. It purifies and enriches the blood, stimulates the secreting and excreting members to better action, quiets the overstrained nerves, and makes one feel better in every way.

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MARRIAGE AT MICANOPY.

Two Popular Young People Join Their Future Destinies.

There was a pretty home wedding solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith, at Micanopy, on Wednesday evening, when Dr. G. A. Chamblin of Archer was united in wedlock to their daughter, Miss Essie.

The home had been beautifully decorated for the occasion and promptly at the appointed hour, 7:30, the happy pair marched into the parlor where Rev. Waddell, of the Presbyterian church, performed the ceremony.

Following this a delightful reception was held and the young couple were the recipients of many kind words and a substantial array of presents.

Dr. Chamblin is a recent graduate and was reared practically in Archer, having a large number of acquaintances and friends, and his practice there has already assumed large proportions. Miss Smith has by her sweet and gentle disposition won a host of admirers who wish her much joy and happiness along the sea of matrimony.

Dr. and Mrs. Chamblin will reside at Archer.

Starved to Death

Is what could truthfully be said of many children who die. They have worms, poor little things—they don't know it and you don't realize it. If your child is cross, fretful, pasty-complexioned and loses weight for no apparent reason, give it White's Cream Vermifuge—you will be surprised at the results and how quickly it picks up. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

New Potatoes on Market.

New sweet potatoes have made their appearance in the Gainesville market. This is rather early for the crop, considering the dry weather experienced in the early spring, but the stock shown here is of the desirable size and look to be of an excellent grade. A number of the stores have them.

Delay in commencing treatment for a slight irregularity that could have been quickly relieved by Foley's Kidney Remedy may result in a serious kidney disease. Foley's Kidney Remedy builds up the worn out tissues and strengthens these organs. J. W. McCollum & Co.

William Franklin Willoughby, of Alexandria, Va., has been appointed Assistant Director of Census Bureau, at a salary of \$5,000 a year. He was secretary of state at Porto Rico.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that A. O. Steenburg, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 793, dated the 10th day of July, A. D. 1906, has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, town:

Comer at center of avenue 14 1/2 cts. from SW cor of Sec 8, Tp. R. 21, and run N 82° 45' deg. E 20 cts. to SW cor of Mosely's lot, thence N to SW cor of Mosely's lot and W to W line of sec and S to beginning. Sec 8, Tp. R. 21—60 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of M. L. Wayant.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 29th day of July, A. D. 1909.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 23th day of June, A. D. 1909.

S. H. WIENGES,
Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.
By M. S. CHEVES, D. C.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that F. B. Godfrey, purchaser of Tax Certificates No. 231 and 234, dated the 4th day of September, A. D. 1905, has filed said certificates in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, town:

Lot 2, Sec 20, Tp 7, S. R. 18—33 acres.

Lot 1, S. R. 20, Tp 7, S. R. 18—25 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificates in the names of Geo. R. Fairbanks and Unknown.

Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 27th day of July, A. D. 1909.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 20th day of June, A. D. 1909.

S. H. WIENGES,
Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.
By M. S. CHEVES, D. C.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that E. B. Godfrey, purchaser of Tax Certificates No. 231 and 234, dated the 4th day of September, A. D. 1905, has filed said certificates in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, town:

Begin 10 cts. S of Ne cor Sec 9, Tp. R. 21, and S 9 cts. W 10 1/2 cts. N 9 cts. E 10 1/2 cts. to point of beginning—10 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Ed Amos.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 28th day of August, A. D. 1909.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 3rd day of July, A. D. 1909.

S. H. WIENGES,
Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that W. B. Phifer, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 46, dated the 5th day of July, A. D. 1906, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, town:

Comer at SW cor tract, Sec 9, Tp. R. 21, run W 50, N 3 cts. to initial, W 10 1/2 cts. N 14 1/4 cts. E 7 1/2 cts. S 14 1/4 cts., Sec 9, Tp. R. 21, S 2—10 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Enoch Jones.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 28th day of August, A. D. 1909.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 3rd day of July, A. D. 1909.

S. H. WIENGES,
Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that W. B. Phifer Co., purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 416, dated the 6th day of August, A. D. 1906, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, town:

Nw 1/4 of Nw 1/4, Sec 24, Tp. 10, S. R. 21—40 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Est. of E. Jones.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 28th day of August, A. D. 1909.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 3rd day of July, A. D. 1909.

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PERILOUS POSITION OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT

TWELVE STATES CAN DEFEAT INCOME TAX MEASURE.

It is Possible for Four Per Cent of Voters to Nullify Will of Other 96 Per Cent.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—That there will never be an income tax if it is necessary to wait for three-fourths of the State legislatures to ratify the proposed amendment to the constitution, is the conviction of Senators and other students of politics and economics in the National Capital.

Friends of a genuine income tax realize only too well now that the proposed amendment of the constitution was but a part of the conspiracy devised by Aldrich and others to defeat the income tax. It will be recalled that no lesser a legal authority than President Tait himself was the first to express the opinion that it would not be necessary, even if possible, to amend the constitution; that he believed the Supreme Court would uphold an income tax if given another opportunity.

It is practically impossible to amend the constitution. Otherwise Mr. Aldrich would never have consented so smilingly to the adoption of the joint resolution providing for the proposition. Senator Aldrich stated on the floor of the Senate he always had been against an income tax and always would be. Senator Aldrich is no doubt honest to his convictions. He has acted as a tool of the greedy special interests so long he really believes it would be a step toward anarchy for Congress to pass a law requiring the rich to pay a tax on their incomes, as they do in Great Britain, Japan, France, Germany, Holland, Austria, Denmark, Switzerland, Australia and New Zealand. The Rhode Island Senator is frank enough to admit that he is convinced the best way to raise revenue to run the Government is to tax necessities, and that "until the bill is taken from his hands," he will see to it that a tax on wealth does not supplement a tax on necessities.

In response to the overwhelming demand for an income tax Senator Aldrich handed the people a "gold brick" in the form of "an opportunity to amend the constitution." Under the constitutional provision for an amendment, it is possible for 4 per cent of the voters to nullify the will of the other 96 per cent. Twelve States are sufficient to defeat an amendment.

Here are the States that will likely do it: Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Delaware, Connecticut, Rhode Island, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Michigan, California and Louisiana.

The California Legislature is dominated by the Southern Pacific railroad. E. H. Harriman, who controls the Southern Pacific Republican machine in California, has a sufficiently large income to make him hostile to an income tax, and his Wall street friends would be hostile to an income tax for the same reason.

Louisiana would probably refuse to ratify, fearing as a possible reaction a reduction in the tariff on sugar.

The New England States are bitterly antagonistic to an income tax for two reasons. One is that wealth is concentrated in these States, and wealth would be taxed under the proposed legislation. The more important reason is that New England fears that if new revenue is raised from the rich the tax on things manufactured in New England would be reduced. Lower tariff rates on manufactured articles would force the tariff trusts to compete to a moderate extent with foreign manufacturers, thus damaging their monopoly on

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American markets and making it impossible for them to extort excessive prices.

The prospect of amending the constitution to pave the way for an income tax may be appreciated when it is understood that over 2,000 futile attempts have been made in that direction, while only fifteen have been successful in the history of the nation.

So great a jurist as Chief Justice Marshall conceded that the majorities required to change the constitution are too high. "The machinery is unwieldy and cumbrous," are his exact words.

When the ratification of the constitution was before the patriots, Patrick Henry refused to vote for ratification, for he saw that once it had passed there was practically no way to change it.

From 1789 to 1803 124 amendments were proposed and 10 adopted. These were to offset small friction of various kinds, in response to the general demand for limitation of the powers of the Federal Government.

From 1804 to 1860 there were 400 relief measures proposed and not one was incorporated in the constitution. Six passed the Senate, one passed both houses but failed to secure the ratification of the necessary three-fourths of the State legislatures. This, however, was the period of storms between the broad and strict constructionists and the suggestions to change the constitution reflected party policies.

Two notable measures were offered, outside of the slavery question. One was that Senators should serve three years only, one-third of that body retiring each year, and of the Senators in office one should be selected by the Senate for President, for one year. The other was that the President be chosen by lot. Each State was to select a favorite son, beans were to be put in a box for each State, and the State drawn out was to be entitled to place its man in the Presidential chair.

Fourteen amendments were proposed, limiting the President's veto power, and two dispensing with it, entirely. Any man who accepted a title of nobility without the consent of the Congress was to lose his citizenship. From 1860 to 1870 three amendments were passed. Among the numerous ones rejected was one that abolished the Presidency and in its stead there was to be an executive council of three members. From 1870 to 1889 400 were offered. Almost every feature of the Government was assailed.

Since 1872 there has been a growing demand that Senators be elected by direct vote of the people. In the years between that date to 1889, there were 25 more; fifteen State legislatures ratified the proposed change.

The following twelve States, representing 4 per cent of the voters of the United States, could block all the other States representing 96 per cent of the voters: Delaware, Rhode Island, Vermont, Oregon, Nebraska, Wyoming, North Dakota, South Dakota, Montana, Washington, Idaho and Oklahoma.

A Golden Wedding

Means that man and wife have lived to a good old age and consequently have kept healthy. The best way to keep healthy is to see that your liver does its duty 365 days out of 365. The only way to do this is to keep Ballard's Herbine in the house and take it whenever your liver gets inactive. 50 cents per bottle. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Some article that is simply "in the way" at your house might, if advertised, be sold to someone who is an

TOLD ELLA TO GO HOME AND BE A GOOD GIRL

CHICAGO, July 22.—The jury in the Ella Gingles case returned a verdict of not guilty and exonerated Agnes Barrett, who Miss Gingles accused of immoral conduct.

The verdict follows: "We, the jury, find the defendant not guilty, and further find that the charges against Miss Barrett are unfounded and untrue."

Miss Gingles alleged that Miss Barrett and others attacked her, mistreated her in the Wellington Hotel on two occasions last winter, and that the object of these attacks and the theft charged against her was to force her to be sold to an unnamed man at French Lick Springs, Indiana.

At one time, the taking of pertinent evidence was halted long enough to allow Thomas Taggart, former chairman of the Democratic National Committee, the opportunity to declare from the stand that he had no knowledge of Miss Gingles save what he had read. It was made clear that Taggart had nothing to do with the alleged attempt to sell her into white slavery.

One juror shook her hands as he said: "Now be a good girl, Ella; go back home to Ireland, be good." The jury was out seven hours and made five ballots.

A Millionaire's Baby

Attended by the highest-priced baby specialist could not be cured of stomach or bowel trouble any quicker or surer than your baby if you give it McGee's Baby Elixir. Cures diarrhoea, dysentery and all derangements of the stomach or bowels. Price 25 cents and 50 cents. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Concrete covered by sea water for one hundred years was recently removed in the harbor at Brest, France, says Cement Age. Iron bars embedded in the concrete did not show the least indication of rust, showing that concrete is a perfect preservative of iron ore, even when placed under sea water.

Everyone would be benefited by taking Foley's Orino Laxative for stomach and liver trouble and habitual constipation. It sweetens the stomach and breath, gently stimulates the liver and regulates the bowels and is much superior to pills and ordinary laxatives. Why not try Foley's Orino Laxative today? J. W. McCollum & Co.

The body of Mrs. Margaret Powell Jefferson Davis-Hayes was cremated at Colorado Springs Wednesday, the funeral services being very simple and impressive. The tiny urn rests in a vault in Evergreen Cemetery.

Teething children have more or less diarrhoea, which can be controlled by giving Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. All that is necessary is to give the prescribed dose after each operation of the bowels more than natural and then castor oil to cleanse the system. It is safe and sure. Sold by all druggists.

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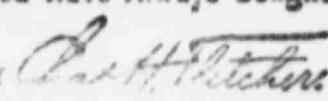
"Quite so. Now, why not send up a bunch of violets tomorrow instead. It would be just as expensive and would make a big hit with pa"—Pittsburg Post.

In adversity it is easy to despise life. The true, brave man is he who can endure to be miserable.—Martial.

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THE NEWS FROM BELL.

Death of Aged Resident—Other Notes From West End Town.

BELL, July 23.—Miss Ella Meg Finlayson of Old Town is visiting Mrs. G. C. Chaires. Miss Ella Meg's amiable manner has won for her quite a number of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Meggs of Marion, S. C., are visiting relatives and friends here.

The protracted meeting was largely attended Sunday. Those present from elsewhere included Rev. Geo. L. Taylor and wife, High Springs; Rev. L. R. Thomas, John R. Thomas and boys, Misses Delia Thomas and Ladora and Felmer Flowers, of Willeford; S. A. Martin, Samuel Bass and wife, James Godwin, of Jennings Lake.

Miss Tomie Pinholster of Brooker has accepted position as clerk with T. M. Williams.

Miss Bessie Geiger of Waldo is visiting her aunt, Mrs. T. M. Williams.

Mrs. S. G. Gay is visiting S. O. Barron.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Lee, age 76, died at 5 o'clock Tuesday morning after a lingering illness of seven weeks, and was interred in New Hope Cemetery in the afternoon at 4 o'clock. She left one son and daughter, Della Lee of Mayo, and Mrs. Davis of Bell, and hosts of grandchildren and friends to mourn her loss. The relatives tender thanks to friends for their valuable assistance during their mother's sickness.

S. O. Barron, J. E. Williams, Dr. L. P. Philpot and N. J. Williams are off this week to Gainesville on business with the school board.

Or Time.

"Does he ever do anything on time?" "Oh, yes. He quits work."—Detroit Free Press.

When you sell an article by weight, remember that other people have scales.—Atchison Globe.

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NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

MATTERS OF GENERAL INTEREST SECURED BY SUN REPORTERS.

What Has Happened and What Is Going to Happen—Personal and Social Items of the City.

From Friday's Daily Sun.

J. M. Quinn of Alachua was a visitor here yesterday.

Harley Butler of Morriston was a visitor to the city yesterday.

S. P. Nipper and wife of Newberry were visitors to the city yesterday.

J. E. Janet, the agent for the Seaboard at Fairbanks, was a visitor here yesterday.

J. R. Zetrouer, one of the most prominent citizens of the Rochelle section, was a visitor here yesterday.

J. E. Starling of Trenton was among the visitors to the city yesterday. While here he made an agreeable call at this office.

Mrs. S. B. Phifer and children of High Springs were here yesterday on a visit to the former's sister, Mrs. M. B. Saunders.

T. L. Blanton of Newberry was a visitor here yesterday. He states the roads are in bad condition as a result of the recent heavy rains.

E. F. Zetrouer of Rochelle was in Gainesville Thursday. He is the deputy sheriff for that district, besides being one of the leading merchants.

F. D. Irwin of Fairbanks, the popular merchant of that place, besides an extensive contractor in wood and ties, was a visitor to Gainesville yesterday.

S. L. Blanton of Wade, one of the prominent citizens of that section, was a visitor to the city yesterday and while here made a pleasant call at this office.

Mrs. Lottie Leyvre of St. Augustine, who has been here for the past few days visiting her mother, Mrs. Woods, in East Gainesville, returned to her home yesterday.

Col. Fred Cubberly, U. S. district attorney with headquarters at Cedar Key, was a visitor here yesterday. He may decide to remove his family here at a later day.

Dr. Thos. McLeod of Newberry, one of the prominent physicians of that place, was a visitor to the city yesterday. He has a number of friends who are always pleased to meet him.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Waits of Fairbanks, who have been here on a visit for a few days, the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wittstock, returned to their home yesterday.

T. P. Maynard of Alachua was transacting business in the city yesterday. He states that the crops of his section are looking fine and the farmers anticipate a good yield all around.

Dr. and Mrs. S. B. Rogers, accompanied by their interesting children, have returned from West Florida, where the latter have been spending the past few weeks. Mrs. Rogers has not enjoyed the good health during her absence that she had anticipated much to the regret of her numerous friends here.

D. H. Grace of Evinston and J. W. Means of McIntosh were in the city yesterday. They were among the excursionists in the wreck on the Coast Line near Kendrick Tuesday and came here for the purpose of looking after some damages for their injuries. The former suffered injury to the left arm while the latter is bruised and incapacitated for duty.

From Saturday's Daily Sun.

J. A. J. Strickland of Hague was a visitor here yesterday.

F. S. Cull of Archer was circulating among his Gainesville friends yesterday.

Deputy Sheriff W. C. Hague of Alachua was among the visitors to the city yesterday.

Hon. J. A. Rosborough and wife of Windsor were among the shoppers visiting the city Friday.

C. Ward of Newberry was a visitor to the city yesterday and made a pleasant call at this office.

S. A. Hussey and W. G. Chapman, representative citizens of Newberry, were visitors to the city yesterday.

W. W. Struble, for many years the butcher and meat man of High Springs, was a visitor here yesterday.

Newberry, was here yesterday on a business and pleasure trip combined.

J. B. Kennard of Waldo, for many years engaged in the livery business there, was transacting business in the city yesterday.

G. W. Call of LaCrosse, one of the planters of the northern part of the county, was trading in the city yesterday. While here he called to renew his subscription to The Sun.

Dr. Armstrong's next visit to Gainesville August 3rd. Anyone having any form of eye trouble, headaches, or nervousness, should see him. Office at Brown House, the one day only.

C. W. Bauknight, one of the veteran business men of Archer, and who has done a great deal for the advancement of that section, was here yesterday looking after some business matters.

Ira J. Carter, justice of the peace for the Newberry district, was transacting business in the city yesterday. He has a large number of acquaintances here who are always pleased to welcome him to Gainesville.

Dr. W. C. Johnson of Micanopy was among the visitors to the city yesterday. He is one of the most prominent citizens of that place and has a large number of acquaintances here who are always pleased to meet him.

Mrs. Maggie Shuford of High Springs is in the city for a few days' visit and while here is the guest of the family of J. E. Burtz. She is accompanied by Miss Kathleen Rives, one of the popular young ladies of that city.

Geo. W. Livingston, deputy sheriff from Newberry, was a visitor here yesterday. He came for the purpose of attending the execution of R. H. Owen—which did not transpire—and states that a large number were here for the same purpose.

A. J. Feaster, one of the substantial planters of the Rochelle section, was a visitor to the city yesterday. He has recently added more registered stock to his cattle farm and within a short while will have the leading herd of high-grade stock in that part of the county.

From Sunday's Daily Sun.

F. M. Ramsey of Wacahoota was in the city yesterday.

Vance Winter of Waldo was a visitor here yesterday.

Miss Margaret Merchant is visiting relatives at High Springs.

G. A. Sparkman of Waldo was among the visitors to the city yesterday.

M. Venable, the sawmill and crate man of Archer, was a visitor here yesterday.

Geo. Law of Arredondo, one of the planters there, was a visitor to the capital yesterday.

L. H. Hall and son of Orange Heights were visitors to the county capital yesterday.

Mrs. S. B. Phifer and children of High Springs, who have been here on a short visit, returned to their home yesterday.

Mrs. W. T. Gill of Alachua arrived in the city yesterday and will spend the next few days here visiting her sister, Mrs. S. H. Register.

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The Standard Fertilizer Company is giving double votes on all cash sales from now until close of piano contest. Goods shipped when you want them.

J. H. Holly, the cattleman and merchant of Arredondo, was in the city yesterday. He states that they have had an abundance of rain in his section and the roads are in a bad condition.

Henry G. Futch and wife of Miami and Miss Marion Futch of this city are now on a pleasant visit to Knoxville, Tenn. From that point they will proceed to Tate Springs for a short stay before returning home.

T. R. Bennett and daughter, Miss Ruby, have been in the city several days on a visit to the family of J. W. Bennett. Miss Ruby has been attending school at Douglass, Ga., and expects to return there the coming fall.

Mrs. F. M. Prewitt and children, Louise and F. M., Jr., departed yesterday for points in Alabama and Georgia, where they will spend the next few weeks with relatives and friends. Mrs. Prewitt has been a persistent "rooter" for the Oak Halls, and regrets that she will be unable to be here when the games take place with

W. W. Struble, for many years the butcher and meat man of High Springs, was a visitor here yesterday.

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GAINESVILLE'S FAST-GROWING STORE

Already the carpenters are remodeling the upper floor of our present quarters, which we will occupy the coming season with High-Grade Millinery and Ready-to-Wear Goods. Every convenience to make you comfortable. : : : : :

12 1-2 and 15c
White Goods, special
at 9 1-2c

25 yards good Unbleached Muslin \$1

SILK SALE—Table of 50, 60, 75c
Silk, all new, this season's goods; some very neat styles for suits—
this week your choice per yard 39c

Phone 109

WILSON COMPANY

Butterick Patterns

BASE BALL NEWS.

How Other Teams Have Fared With Gainesville Rivals.

From Friday's Daily Sun.

St. Augustine defeated Ocala at Deala on Wednesday afternoon by a score of 4 to 3, and they stated they did not have such an extra team, either, as they passed through here.

Sanford Wins From Palatka.

From Friday's Daily Sun:

Sanford defeated Palatka in two interesting games in Sanford, the first one being 3 to 2 and the next and last 10 to 4. These "pickings" are scheduled to come here for another game and we will get ours.

Waldo 4, Lake City 3.

From Friday's Daily Sun:

The Waldo ball team went to Lake City yesterday, where they defeated the former University City boys in a good game, the score being 4 to 3. The Lake City battery was composed of Brown, Cox and Mance, while Cricket Prewitt and Harvey did the work for Waldo.

Waldo 6, Lake City 3.

From Saturday's Daily Sun.

In the second game of the series between Waldo and Lake City at the latter place yesterday, Waldo won by a score of 6 to 3. Lake City battery, Will Seagle and Tompson; Waldo, Pearce and Harvey. Waldo also won the first game 4 to 3.

Four Games Next Week.

From Friday's Daily Sun.

Don't fail to remember that we are to have four interesting games here next week. Sanford, one of the best clubs on the beach, will be here for a series of three games, while the Olympics of Jacksonville come for one game Tuesday.

Marriage at Rochelle.

ROCHELLE, July 24.—There will be a box supper at Martha Perry Institute, Rochelle, Fla., Saturday night, July 31st, 1909. Everybody cordially invited. The young ladies are especially requested to bring well-filled boxes.

There was quite a surprising marriage, July 23rd. Mrs. M. K. Brown and Mr. A. J. Sprott of Altoona, Fla., were married by the Rev. J. W. Hilton of Archer. The happy couple left on the 1:30 train for their future home at Altoona.

If it's printed stationery you want

Sole Agents "Cadet" Hosiery; every pair guaranteed; pair . 25c

Pure Silk Hose, black and colors, a \$1.50 value 98c

New Dutch Collars, 25, 35, 50c; New Hair Ornaments, 25, 50c; New Belt Pins, Dutch Collar Pins, Beauty Pins. : : : : :

THIS WEEK — 15c Linenes, 9 1-2c; 10c Ginghams, 7 1-2c; 12 1-2c Ginghams, 9 1-2c; 40c Linenes, 29c. : : : : :

Few Wash Suits and Dresses to close at very low prices.

One lot Shirtwaists, were \$1, clean-up price 69c

Our Ready-to-Wear Dept. offers some splendid values in Fine Shirtwaists, Tailored Suits, Skirts, etc. Clean-up prices that mean quick selling.

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BURKHIM'S BIG SALE.

Has Full Page Advertisement Announcing the Bargains to Be Had.

L. J. Burkham, the east side clothier and furnisher, has a page advertisement in this issue announcing his Prosperity and Remodeling Sale.

He states that his trade has increased more during the past year than ever in the history of the business, and as a result he is going to divide his profits with the people who have traded with him by offering them his tremendous stock of goods at about cost for the next twenty-three days, for the store must be cleared.

He intends making extensive improvements in August and in order to make room for the carpenters will sell the goods as quoted in his advertisement, which will be at 60 cents on the dollar, a discount of 40 per cent.

Read his announcement elsewhere.

The Sun office for calling cards.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a certain execution issued out of the Justice Court of the Twenty-fifth Justice District, in and for Alachua county, Florida, by Hon. J. A. Carlisle, the Justice thereof, and dated the 23rd day of June, A. D. 1909, in favor of Sam Cook and against Shad Sams, I have levied upon and will sell, at public outcry, at the east court house door, in Gainesville, Alachua county, Florida, on August 2nd, A. D. 1909, during the lawful hours of sale, the following property, to wit:

Two pillows, 2 mattresses, 2 blankets, 1 set bed springs, 2 bedsteads, 3 quilts, 2 lamps, 1 coat, 1 pair pants, 1 shirt, 2 overcoats, 1 trunk and contents, 1 clock, 1 water-bucket, 1 shotgun, same to be sold to satisfy said execution and costs.

P. G. RAMSEY,

As Sheriff of Alachua County, Fla.

Roads in Bad Condition.

From Sunday's Daily Sun:

J. W. May, county commissioner from Wacahoota, was a visitor here yesterday. He states that the public road which has recently been built in that section is in a bad shape. For the past two weeks there have been a number of automobiles stuck there which had to be pulled out with mule teams, and as a result the road teams have been busy.

Luncheon for Miss Lucia Patton.

On Monday, Miss Lucia Patton of Gainesville will be the guest of honor at a luncheon given by Miss Florence Stockton, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Telfair Stockton, Jacksonville Metropolis.

WANTS...

WANTED.

WANTED—One or two men of energy to handle our goods. Good terms will be given desirable parties. Address Business, P. O. Box 177.

IF YOU WANT to get the highest price and quickest returns, ship your eggs, chickens, cants, peaches, melons, tomatoes, Irish potatoes, etc., etc., to Mohr & Son, Commission Merchants, St. Petersburg, Fla.

FOR SALE.

MACHINERY FOR SALE—One grist mill, 30-inch Esoper, rocks cut for making fine meal; one Engleberg rice huller No. 2, nearly new; one No. 2 Stover Mfg. Co. corn and cob feed mill. Will sell all or any one cheap for cash if taken now. Inquire at Sun office.

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Surplus, \$60,000.00

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